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APPARATUS, A MARKING FORMING
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LASER MARKING ON AN OPTICAL DISK,
AND A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING
AN OPTICAL DISK

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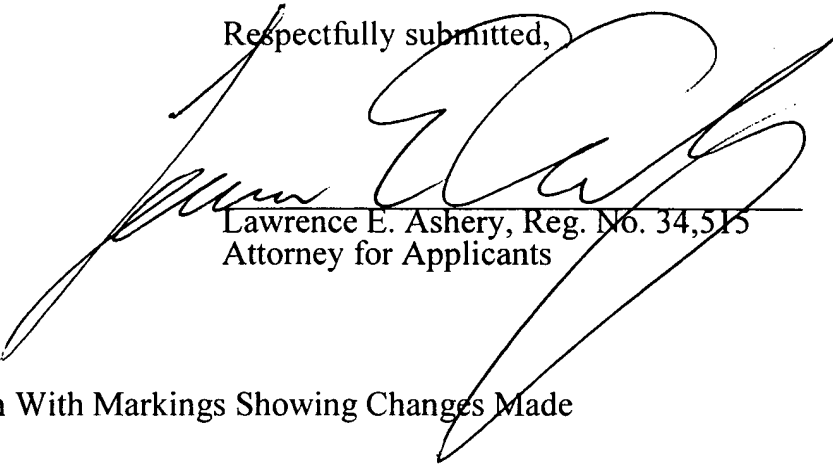
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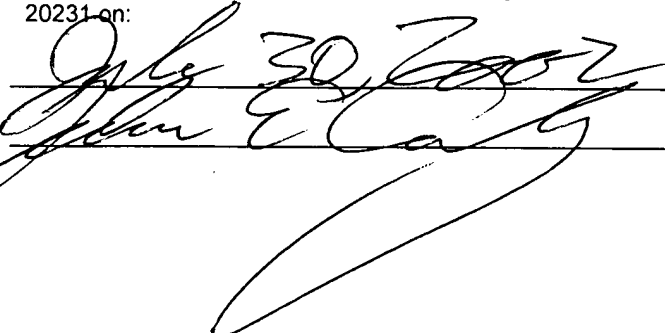
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